IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	pplication of: Gopal B. Avinas	h		§ §			0		
Serial No.: Unassigned				§	Group Art Unit:	Unassigned) <u>T</u> q		
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Prior Application Serial No.: 10/058,615 Prior Application Filed: January 28, 2002				<i>\$\tag{\tau}\tau\tau\tau\tau\tau\tau\tau\tau\tau\tau</i>	Examiner:	Unassigned	,		
For:		METHOD FOR MITIGATING WITH MULTI-ENERGY			Atty Docket:	GEMS:01901/SWA 120773CONT.			
			NUMBER: DATE OF DEPOSIT:	EV	PRESS MAIL" MAILING 173 541 251 US y 9, 2003				
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450			Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.10, I hereby certify that I am personally depositing this paper or fee with the U.S. Postal Service, "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service on the date indicated above in a sealed envelope (a) having the above-numbered Express Mail label and sufficient postage affixed, and (b) addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450						
			July 9, 2003 Date		_ Can	Carla Deblaw	ω		
Dear Si	r:								
10/058,	a Request for filing	a continuing ary 28, 2002,	application under 37 entitled A ROBUST	C.F.R. AND	§ 1.53(b) of pendin	ng prior application Seri	al No.		
The fol	lowing are enclose	d:							
	1. <u>X</u>	Papers which the undersigned declares to be a true copy of the prior application as originally filed, including a Title page, a 32 page disclosure, 9 pages of claims, a 1 page abstract of the disclosure, 12 sheets of formal drawings, and a Combined Declaration & Power of Attorney signed by the inventors.							
	2. <u>X</u>	The Commissioner is authorized to charge the filing fee as calculated below, adjusted by any claims canceled or added by amendment below, to Deposit Account No. 07-0845; Order No. 120773CONT/YOD (GEMS:01901).							
	3.a A copy of the Election and Power of Attorney in the prior application.								
		or							
	3.b	A new Powe	er of Attorney.						
	4. <u>X</u>		nent of record for the for the prior applica		application, and a l	Notice of Recordation o	f		
5. X Two (2) sets of formal drawings,				each set consisting of 12 sheets.					

	6.a	A verified statement claiming small entity status is enclosed.
	6.b	or A verified statement claiming small entity status was filed in a parent application and small entity status is still proper and desired in this continuing application.
	7. <u>X</u>	Preliminary Amendment.
X		all correspondence in connection with this application to Tait R. Swanson, FLETCHER Box 692289, Houston, Texas 77269-2289; telephone (281) 970-4545.
<u>X</u>	As set forth in the first line the sen	ne enclosed Preliminary Amendment, please amend the specification by inserting before the tence:
_	-This application	is a Continuation of application Serial No. 10/058.615, filed January 28, 2002

The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims originally filed in the prior application, and any claims added or canceled by the enclosed Preliminary Amendment.

CLAIMS	FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL 59 CLAIMS	- 20 =	39	X \$ 18.00	\$702.00
	INDEPENDENT 6 CLAIMS	- 3=	3	X \$ 84.00	\$252.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDE				
			BASIC FEE	\$750.00	
	Total of above Calculations =				\$1,704.00
	Reduction by ½ for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27. 1.28.				\$
				TOTAL =	\$ 1,704.00

The undersigned declares that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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